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May 26, 2015

Jeff A. Lau
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Re: Freedom of Information Act Request EPA-R9-2015-006194

Dear Mr. Lau:

This letter provides an interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for all documents relating to the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. HI 0020877 for the Honouliuli Wastewater Treatment Plant ("HWWTP") issued on February 28, 2014, effective March 30, 2014. In order to streamline our search, you agreed that we would search for records between December 27, 2010 (the date the permit application was submitted to the Hawaii Department of Health) and April 15, 2015 (the date of the FOIA request). You also agreed we could limit the search to electronic documents.

On May 21, 2015 we provided the first interim response. Documents have been uploaded to FOIA Online at: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov>. We are continuing our search and review of responsive documents and anticipate at least one more response to your request before June 5, 2015.

Please contact Elizabeth Sablad in the NPDES Permits Section at 415-972-3044 or Ellen Blake with the Office of Regional Counsel at 415-972-3496 should you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "James Paul Marincola".

James Paul Marincola, Acting Manager
NPDES Permits Section (WTR-2-3)